

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR DON KNABE

The Los Angeles County Child Support Services Department goes to great lengths to pursue collection of child support payments on behalf of families in need, and always seeks to establish cooperative relationships with the parent required to make payments. Unfortunately, there are hundreds of parents currently in the County's system that go to great lengths to evade their child support obligations, even after arrest warrants have been issued. There are approximately 2,000 parents who fall into this category, and they owe over \$2.5 million in child support payments. Far too many families are struggling to pay their bills because these individuals choose to evade or ignore their responsibilities. On April 4, on my motion, the Board of Supervisors ordered CSSD to initiate a partnership with the District Attorney to develop a plan to increase enforcement against parents who are the most delinquent in their child support payments.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Chief Executive Officer reallocate \$250,000 from the designation for budgetary uncertainties to the Child Support Services Department for the purpose of funding a collaborative effort with the District Attorney to increase enforcement against parents who are the most delinquent in their child support payments.

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